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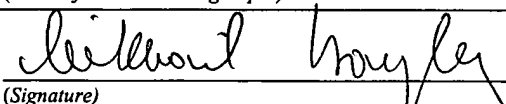
This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for taking further action of this application based on the Notice of Appeal filed December 19, 2001.

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Respectfully submitted,

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